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SEYMORE, INDIANA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1908.

PRICE TWO CENTS

Right Now

RIGHT NOW is the time to select that gift for the twenty-fifth. Select some article of jewelry from the numerous good quality articles we have here. Diamonds, Bracelets, Clocks, Watches, Gold Buttons, Hat Pins, Rings, Fobs, Scarf Pins, Spoons, Knives and Forks and hundreds of other articles at lowest prices.

J.G. LAUPUS
JEWELER

No. 1 N. Chestnut St.

Voters Should All Vote.

The people of Jackson county generally understand that a special election will be held in Jackson and Brownstown townships on January 12, 1909, to vote on the question of a subsidy for the construction of a traction line between Seymour and Brownstown. This is an election of importance no matter how you look upon the enterprise. Every voter in the two townships should think the matter over carefully and then cast his vote as his judgment dictates. The law permits the people to decide for themselves when a matter of this kind is presented. It is the duty of every man in the two townships to vote on January 12.

In Jackson township a subsidy of one per cent or about \$35,000 is asked. In Brownstown a subsidy of about one and one half per cent, or \$25,000, is asked. In the two townships the total subsidy asked for amounts to \$60,000 in round numbers. When this amount of money is involved, as well as the construction of a needed traction line, it takes no argument to show that this election is one of importance to the people of the two townships. Study all the questions involved carefully and be prepared to vote January 12. In the meantime the men who are asking the subsidy for the construction of the proposed line should make a detailed statement to the people of their plans and purposes.

Christmas candies, quality unexcelled, kept under cover as required by the pure food law, Hopewell & Brandt's.

d16d

Swans, something brand new, at the Bee Hive.

d15d

Books at T. R. Carter's.

Seeking Location.

J. A. Johnson, of Greenfield, is in the city with a view to locating a factory here for the manufacture of cement tiling, burial vaults, porches, building blocks, porch columns, etc. It has been necessary for some of these things to be contracted outside the city heretofore and such a factory located here under an experienced management would encourage the use of cement in the building of modern residences. Sherman Day, of this city, and Mr. Johnson have already had a business here for the past year or two in the cement burial vault business and the object is to extend their field of operation here into other lines of cement products. Their proposed enterprise should be given encouragement as there is an opportunity to build up a good trade in these lines even outside the city.

Hurt at Louisville.

Robert L. Moseley received a telegram from Louisville about 2:30 this afternoon stating that his brother-in-law, J. O. Sutton, a fireman on the Big Four, had been seriously injured in an accident and was now in the University Hospital at Louisville. No particulars were given in the message except that he was injured in the spine. The Big Four trains run into Louisville over the tracks of the Louisville branch of the B. & O. S.W. and it is supposed that the accident occurred somewhere south of North Vernon. Mr. Sutton has been braking for the Big Four for some time.

A fine assortment of pipes suitable for Christmas presents at Pelle's drug store.

d19d&w

Nice line of fancy boxes and manure sets at the Bee Hive.

d15d

Pictures at T. R. Carter's

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Property Sold.

E. C. Bollinger as agent has sold the John Ormsby property on E. 4th street to Mrs. Fred Able for \$900. Mrs. Able will have some necessary repairs made, soon after which she will have a nice rental property.

George Hauer and John Hess, of Vallonia, and Oscar Allen and Wm. Eastin, of Brownstown, the outgoing and incoming trustees of Driftwood and Brownstown townships, came up this morning and went to Indianapolis to attend the state meeting of the township trustees' association.

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Want Ads. in the REPUBLICAN Pay.

SEYMORE MEN

Interested in New Furniture Company Launched at Chicago.

Special to THE REPUBLICAN:

CHICAGO, ILL., DEC. 16.—Backed by a number of the leading furniture manufacturers in different states the United States Furniture Company has just been launched here. The company will be incorporated at \$100,000.

The purpose of the furniture men who compose the new company is to establish retail stores in several large cities to sell the product of their own factories. Furniture manufacturers are promoting the enterprise and they believe that their plan will be the means of largely increasing the business of the factories they own and operate. It is reported that they now have an option on a large retail store building in Chicago.

The officers of the company are Joseph Schneider, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, president, M. A. St. John, of Seymour, Ind., and H. A. Allman, of Chicago, vice presidents, and E. L. Brown, of Seymour, Ind., Secretary.

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DIED.

HYLAND.—Mrs. Diana Brower Hyland, of Evansville, died this morning a few minutes after midnight at the home of her son, Engineer William Hyland, at Seventh and Blish streets. Age 75 years, 8 months and 25 days. Mrs. Hyland came here on November 27th, for a visit with her relatives. She was slightly indisposed last Saturday and Sunday but her condition did not become serious till Sunday evening.

She was born at North Bend, O., near Cincinnati, on March 21, 1833. Most of her married life was spent at Rockport, Ind., and at Evansville. Her husband died thirty-four years ago. She leaves six children, four sons and two daughters, Charles W., Edward W., and Mrs. S. A. Kennedy, of Oakland, Cal.; Mrs. W. L. Farmer, of Evansville; James, of Elberfield; and William Hyland, of this city. Mrs. Hyland came from a prominent family. She was a cousin of Mrs. Thomas A. Hendricks and of both Eads and Nelson, the builders of the Eads bridge across the Mississippi river at St. Louis. She was also related by marriage to President William Henry Harrison. She took pride in the fact that her grandfather pronounced the ceremony at the marriage of William Henry Harrison and that her own father was groomsman at the marriage of a daughter of Gen. Harrison. Her father's family were also intimate friends of Alice and Phoebe Carey. Mrs. Hyland could talk interestingly of the events connected with the history of our country more than half a century ago.

A message received this morning states that her children are on the way from Oakland, Cal. They are expected here about Saturday and definite announcement of the funeral will probably not be made till that time. After their arrival the remains will be taken to Rockport where her husband, five children and a sister are buried. The burial may not occur before next Monday.

VOSS.—Frederick William Voss died Tuesday night, December 15, 1908 at 11:30 o'clock at his home on South Chestnut street. Age 79 years, 8 months and 12 days. His death was caused by peritonitis produced by an appendicinal abscess. He was born in Osnabruck, Hanover Province, Germany on April 3, 1829. He came to the United States in 1849 and settled at Cincinnati. Three years later he came to Seymour and purchased some of the first lots that were offered for sale here in November 1852. He was pleased with the location and remained here for more than fifty-six years. His wife died in 1870. He conducted a successful cooperage until he retired from active business. He leaves five children, three daughters and two sons, Emma, Louise, Mary, Henry and Frank, all of whom resides in this city. There is also one grandchild living, Walter Voss. Mr. Voss was one of the charter members of the German Evangelical St. Paul's church of this city, and was a member of the same at the time of his death. He was a zealous Odd Fellow and a good and substantial citizen. Most every one in the city knew him and he enjoyed the confidence and esteem of all. He had a host of warm personal friends who mourn his death.

The funeral services will be conducted from the St. Paul's church Friday afternoon at two o'clock and will be in charge of the pastor, Rev. A. Egli, and the members of the Odd Fellows' Lodge. Burial at Riverview cemetery.

Xmas Tags at T. R. Carter's

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

Among the long distance passengers out on the Pennsylvania line Tuesday evening were one to Chicago and one to North Judson.

It is stated that at least some of the railroads are arranging to make a rate of one and a half fare for the holidays, or 14 cents per mile, tickets to be on sale December 24th and 25th good returning up to and including December 28th; and on sale again December 31st and January 1st, good returning up to and including January 5th.

Seesaws at the Bee Hive. d15d

John McElvain is seriously ill at the home of his son, Ed McElvain, on east Fourth street. His daughter, Mrs. C. A. Wikle, arrived Tuesday evening from Atlanta, Ga., and brother, Thomas McElvain, arrived Tuesday evening from Eminence, Ky., having been called on account of his serious condition.

Blackboards at the Bee Hive.

Miss Minnie Mellenkamp, daughter of Fred Mellenkamp and wife of Hamilton township, left for Kansas on November 27th for a visit of several days with relatives.

Holly Boxes at T. R. Carter's.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Comes from Grapes

The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

Imitation baking powders are made from harsh mineral acids and leave in the food unhealthful properties

Birthday Surprise.

Ernest Peters, the ticket agent here for the Pennsylvania railway, was given a complete surprise Tuesday evening at his home on south Broadway, in honor of his twenty-ninth birthday. Mr. Jones, the general agent here for the company, and his family stopped in to spend the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Peters. Mr. Jones made an excuse that he had to go over to the freight office and Mr. Peters volunteered to go along. They were away several minutes, just long enough to make the arrangements for the surprise a success. When they returned Mrs. Peters sent her husband into the adjoining room to get a chair. The room was dimly lighted and he was in the middle of the room before he discovered that a number of his neighbors and friends were all about him. Mr. Peters' brother-in-law, E. A. Roberts, of Madison, met him on the street and was as much surprised as Mr. Peters on their return. The guests came in about 7:30 and remained until 11. They were entertained with games and enjoyed a pleasant social evening. Refreshments were served. About twenty-five guests were present. Those from out of the city were E. A. Roberts, of Madison, and Mrs. McCord, of Greensburg. The guests presented Mr. Peters a beautiful gold headed umbrella and he received a nice present from Mrs. Peters.

William R. Hancock of Elora, Ill., is reported dangerously ill and is said that his recovery is not expected. His brother Charles H. Hancock of Tulsa, Okla., was notified by telegram Monday and was expected to reach his brother's bedside by some time Tuesday.

Carving sets and cutlery at Cordes Hardware Co. d23d&w

Parker Lucky Curve fountain pens at T. R. Carter's.

Dolls, doll carts and shooflys at the Bee Hive. d15d

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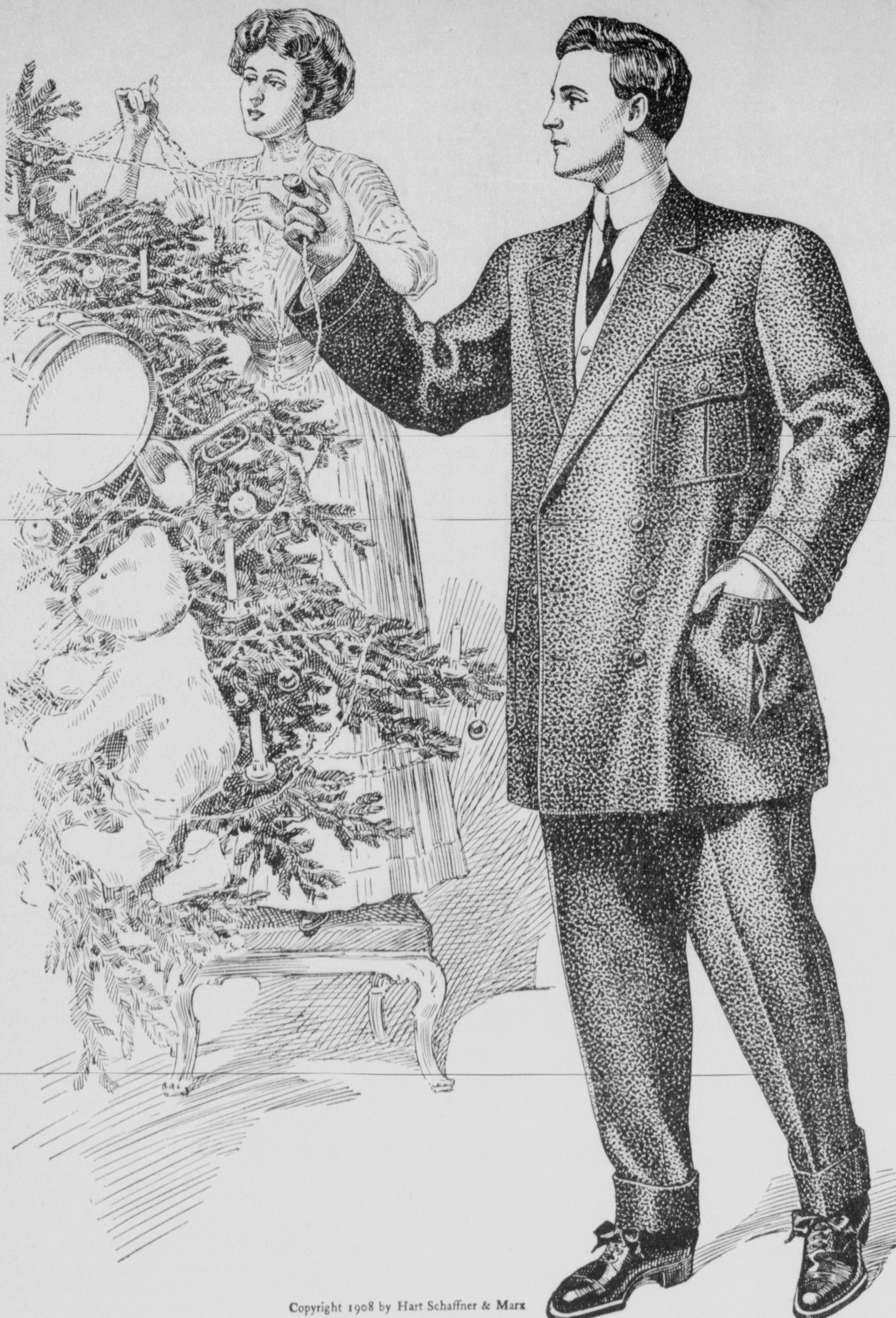
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WHEN you get ready to spend your Christmas money and want to spend it in the most sensible way, not only to get value for it but to get things that are sure to please those who receive them, come to us and let us show you what we can do to help you.

Especially in buying presents for men, young men, boys, you'll find us able to give you a good deal of help.

We've got a big lot of things for men's gifts; things boys like, too; masculine things; you'll make a hit if you give any one of fifty or a hundred things we can show you here, costing anywhere from 25 cents up to \$50.00 or \$75.00.

No male person, for example, ever has more handsome neckties than he wants; see what 50 cents, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00 will do for you in neckwear or silk mufflers.

Same way with fine handkerchiefs—never too many; or fine hosiery—always acceptable, or suspenders, gloves, small jewelry, studs—always wanting them.

We'll show you some elegant walking sticks and umbrellas, from \$1.50 up; some of the better ones heavily silver mounted. We'll show you

some very stunning fancy waistcoats from \$2.00 up. If you want to go in for more substantial things, get him a

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fine suit or overcoat; or a full dresss or Tuxedo suit. You'll never get more money's worth; nor better clothes.

Anything bought here may be exchanged at any time; if he doesn't like it, bring it back.

THOMAS CLOTHING CO.

K. of P. BUILDING, SEYMOUR, INDIANA.

LEESVILLE.

Harve Gibson and wife returned home Wednesday from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Brown county.

Henry Woolery, R. D. Thompson, Sol Wilkerson, George Glover and Mrs. Cynthia Holland killed their fat hogs for their meat this winter.

Wes Wray went to Sparksville and Ft. Ritner Wednesday.

Ike Umphries and wife, of Standish, Ill., visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. H. J. McKeig spent Thursday at Silas Harris'.

George Cooper, of Kansas, visited here last week the guest of J. B. Henderson, his brother-in-law.

Mary Harris went to Huntington Friday to visit her brother, John Umphries, and from there will visit in Illinois before returning home.

Virgil Pate and wife were called to Mitchell Friday to the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Duncan, who is very sick with appendicitis.

Married, at the M. E. parsonage at Bedford Saturday, George Crowe, of near Medora, and Miss Mabel Goens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Goens, of Leesville, Rev. Alinger officiating.

Dr. S. W. Smith, George Jackson, Mrs. Eliza McKeig and son, Everett, and Creed Douglass went to Bedford Saturday.

Cedar Lodge, No. 161, F. & A. M., at Leesville, elected the following officers at their last meeting: Joe B. Flinn, W. M.; J. A. Wicker, S. W.; T. W. Hollenbaugh, J. W.; H. D. Flinn, Treasurer; S. W. Smith, Sec.; H. B. Goens, Tyler. Installation Jan. 2nd, 1909.

Fox hunting is all the go here. Two Gleasline boys got a fine one Thursday.

Elza Brock, who has been in Illinois for two years, is at home for two weeks' visit.

A lot of petty thieving is being done here and if we had a few missionaries they would be a great benefit to the people.

Dec. 29 is the day set for the election in this county to determine whether we have a wet or dry county.

Dr. S. W. Smith was called to Georgetown in Washington county in consultation Sunday night.

W. D. McHargue was brought to Leesville Saturday, it being his first trip since he was hurt 3 weeks ago. He is unable to use one leg.

Miss Mollie Gillen returned to her home at Ft. Ritner Friday after two weeks' visit with Mrs. Cynthia Holland and Mrs. Dr. Smith.

Josie Hill visited in the country Saturday.

CORNELL GROVE.

Bruce Branaman visited his children at Wm. Dryden's last week.

Born to Homer Fish and wife Dec. 11 a boy.

J. P. King and wife visited relatives at Bedford latter part of last week.

J. W. Elmore made a business trip to Seymour Friday.

Curt Goble and family, of Youno, visited in A. J. Elmore's family Saturday night.

Jake Deckard and wife, of Monroe Co., visited in Allen McLean's family Thursday night.

Mrs. Geo. Mitchner who has been sick for the past five weeks is improving.

Rev. Macklin, who is hold a meeting at Kurtz, visited our school Friday evening.

Mrs. H. S. Callahan assisted by Mrs. J. W. Elmore gave her husband a birthday party Friday night as a surprise to him. Several friends and relatives being present, music and a nice supper were served.

KURTZ.

Frank Hattabaugh, of Cincinnati, is visiting friends here.

Buster Eastern was visiting his sister, Mrs. Everett Henderson, near Leesville the past week.

Lam Brown is visiting his grandfather, Ned Brown, of Houston Saturday and Sunday.

The remains of Jerry Callahan, of Bedford, were brought here Friday and buried at Bagwell cemetery.

Dave Rider was at Seymour the first of the week on business.

J. L. Hinkle will go to Coxton in Lawrence county to start his saw mill Saturday.

The pie supper was well attended. Receipts were \$8, which will be used for the benefit of the Reading Circle.

Supper at the hall Christmas Eve for the benefit of the church.

Farmers' Institute at Kurtz Saturday 19. Come one and all.

CARMEL.

Charley Huber, after an illness of several weeks, is able to resume work.

Mrs. Emma Mobley is visiting her brother, Elmer Wheeler, of Evansville.

Mr. Cora Smith, of Bedford, has been here for the past week, attending the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. Huff, who is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Lydia Ackerman was shopping in Carmel last Thursday.

Mrs. Martha Dunlap and Mrs. Retta Cross visited Mrs. Ida Smith of Epworth Friday.

O. H. Smith and wife were business transactors at Carmel Thursday.

Mrs. Martha Dunlap and son returned to their home at Jonesville after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Walter Setser.

NO QUARTER ASKED BY NIGHT RIDERS

Tennessee Backwoodsmen Face

Clearly Drawn Issue Today.

Indictments for capital offenses have been returned and the trials opened today. The issue is clearly drawn. There is no misunderstanding. Both sides are face to face, ready for the struggle, neither asking nor granting quarter. It is a finish fight between organized lawlessness and the forces of order.

WELCOME AT COLOMBO

Fine Reception Accorded Our Sailors by the Ceylonese Today.

Colombo, Ceylon, Dec. 14.—The report that the homeward bound American battleship fleet had been sighted today off this port caused a stir in official and social circles, in which great preparations have been made to give the visitors a good time during their stay.

The colonial secretary has been instructed by the secretary of state to do all he can to extend such hospitality as King Edward would wish shown to the United States. The legislative council has voted an appropriation for entertainments. Special trains will take the men on daily excursions into the interior of Ceylon. Baseball matches will be arranged, and the officers will be given the freedom of the clubs.

FIRST ACT OF WAR

Dutch Cruiser Captures a Venezuelan Coast Guardship.

Willemstad, Curacao, Dec. 14.—The Dutch cruiser Gelderland on Saturday morning captured the Venezuelan coast guardship Alix outside Puerto Cabello. The Dutch flag was hoisted over the Alix, the crew of which was sent ashore. The guardship then was manned by a Dutch officer and marines and towed to Willemstad, arriving

here Sunday.

Although the seizure of the Alix was plainly discernible from Puerto Cabello, the forts there did not fire upon the Gelderland. There is great enthusiasm over the incident in Curacao.

The steamer Maracaibo, which has arrived here from Venezuelan ports, reports that when she was at Maracaibo the air was full of rumors of a revolution in the interior of Venezuela.

Abolishing Saloons.

Boston, Dec. 15.—The principal question in the municipal election, which is being held here today, is the following: "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?" A few days ago the principal cities of Massachusetts outside of Boston voted on this question, the results being about evenly divided, and the entire state and prohibitionists throughout the country are eagerly awaiting the returns of today's election.

CANA, OWEN TOWNSHIP.

Mrs. Meed Weddle and children, of Elwood, and Miss Georgie Dyrker, of Brownstown, are visiting their sister, Mrs. S. C. Louder, for a few days.

There will be a supper given at the Harrell School House Friday night Dec. 18.

The Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. James Wray last Thursday.

C. H. Dexter, of Lafayette, came down Friday for a short visit with his father-in-law C. P. Louder returning home Monday.

James and Grant Wray returned to their home at Muncie last Tuesday after a pleasant visit with friends and relatives.

J. J. Toler and family left for their home at Lafayette Wednesday.

Indianapolis, Columbus and
Southern Traction Co.



In effect Nov. 22, 1908.

THE HOOISER LIMITEDS leave Seymour northbound for Columbus, Edinburgh, Franklin, Greenwood and Indianapolis at: 10:16 a. m., 1:16, 4:16 and 9:16 p. m.

SEYMORE-INDIANAPOLIS LIMITEDS leave Seymour northbound for Columbus, Edinburgh, Franklin, Greenwood and Indianapolis at: 10:16 a. m., 1:16, 4:16 and 9:16 p. m.

LOCAL CARS leave Seymour northbound for Indianapolis and all intermediate points at 6:53, 8:53, 9:53 and every hour thereafter until 4:53, 6:53 and 7:53, and at 8:53 and 10:20 for Greenwood, and at 11:55 for Columbus.

Cars make direct connections at Seymour with cars of the I. & L. Traction Co., for Louisville and all intermediate points, also with trains of the B. & O. R. R. and Southern Indiana R. R. for all points east and west of Seymour.

For rates and full information see agents and official time table folders in all cars.

A. A. ANDERSON, Gen. Mgr.
Columbus, Indiana.

Indianapolis and Louisville
Traction Company



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THE DIXIE LIMITEDS leave Seymour southbound for Crothersville, Scottsburg, Sellersburg, Watson Junction, Jeffersonville and Louisville at: 9:09 a. m., 12:09, 4:09 and 8:09 p. m.

LOCAL CARS leave Seymour southbound for Louisville and all intermediate points at: 5:54, 7:54, (8:54 (For Scottsburg)) 9:54, 10:54 a. m., 12:54, 2:54, 4:54, 5:54, (7:54 (For Scottsburg)) 8:54 and (11:00 p. m. (For Scottsburg))

Cars make direct connections at Seymour with cars of the I. C. & S. Traction Co., for Indianapolis and intermediate points, also with trains of the B. & O. R. R. and Southern Indiana R. R. for all points east and west of Seymour.

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SEYMORE TERMINAL—On Second St., between Indpls. Ave. & Ewing Sts.

H. D. MURDOCK, Supt.
Scottsburg, Ind.

Southern Indiana
Railway Co.

TIME TABLE

North Bound.
No. 4 No. 6
Lv Seymour 7:45 a m 5:00 p m
Lv Bedford 9:05 m 6:20 p m
Lv Odon 10:13 a m 7:28 p m
Lv Elmera 10:24 m 7:39 p m
Lv Beehuler 10:38 a m 7:51 p m
Lv Linton 10:53 a m 8:12 p m
Lv Jasonville 11:19 a m 8:39 p m
Ar Terre Haute 12:15 a m 9:35 p m
No. 25, Mixed, Leaves Seymour at 2:25 p m, arrive at Westport 4:10 p m

South Bound
No. 1 No. 3
Lv Terre Haute 6:30 a m 12:30 p m
Lv Jasonville 7:27 a m 1:27 p m
Lv Linton 7:52 a m 1:52 p m
Lv Beehuler 8:07 a m 2:07 p m
Lv Elmera 8:21 a m 2:21 p m
Lv Odon 8:31 a m 2:31 p m
Lv Bedford 9:45 a m 3:45 p m
Ar Seymour 11:00 a m 5:00 p m

No. 28 mixed leaves Westport at 4:40 p m, arrives at Seymour 6:25 p m

For time tables and further information, apply to local agent, or

H. P. RADLEY, G. P. & T. A.
Grand Opera House, Terre Haute.

Witnesses Being Examined Today.
Flushing, N. Y., Dec. 16.—A jury having been selected to try Thornton J. Hains, a story writer, as a principal in the killing of William E. Annis, a publisher, who was shot to death by Captain Peter Hains at the Bayside Yacht club last summer, the state is today presenting its case against the author. It is expected that the examination of witnesses by both sides will consume at least two or three days.

Would Mortgage the Farm.
A farmer on Rural Route 2, Empire Ga., W. A. Floyd by name, says: "Buckles Arnica Salve cured two of the worst sores I ever saw: one on my leg and one on my hand. It is worth more than its weight in gold. I would not be without it if I had to mortgage my farm to get it. Only 25¢ at W. F. Peters drug store.

Revenue Officers on Still Hunt.
For Wayne, Ind., Dec. 14.—Messrs. Harris and Anderson, special deputies from the Indiana division of the United States revenue office at Indianapolis, have been spending several days in Fort Wayne on a hunt for dealers in liquor and cigars who may have neglected to comply with the revenue laws in the payment of the special stamp tax.

A Healthy Family.
Our whole family has rejoiced in good health since we began using Dr. Kings New Life Pills, three years ago," says L. A. Bartlett, of Rural Route 1, Gilford Maine. They cleanse and tone you good 25¢ at W. F. Peters drug store.

TESTED AND PROVEN

There is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend upon a Well Earned Reputation.

For months Seymour readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills, and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

Mrs. Jesse Buckels, of 20 Jefferson Ave, Seymour, Ind., says: "I was in a very bad condition when I started using Doan's Kidney Pills. I had a dull aching across my loins which caused great pain if I attempted to stoop or lift anything. The kidneys secretions were much disordered and caused me a great deal of embarrassment. I also suffered from nervousness and dizzy spells." Statement given in 1899.

On Oct. 1906 Mrs. Buckles confirmed the above, saying: "I have never suffered the least symptom of kidney trouble since using Doan's Kidney Pills in 1899. I am very glad to give them my endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

LADIES.

Miss Rubie Harris.
Mrs. Minne Powell.
Mrs. John Starrett.
Miss Jullie Woods.
Miss Savannah Robbert.

GENTS.

Mr. Davis.
Mr. Henry Loesche.
Mr. A. R. White.
WM. P. MASTERS, P. M.
Seymour, Dec. 14, 1908.

Had a Close Call.

Mrs. Ada L. Croom, the widely known proprietor of the Croom Hotel, Vaughn Miss., says: "For several months I suffered with a severe cough and consumption seemed to have its grip on me, when a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. I began taking it, and three bottles effected a complete cure." The fame of this life saving cough and cold remedy, and lung and throat healer is world wide. Sold at W. F. Peters drug store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Story Not Verified.

Vallejo, Cal., Dec. 16.—Chief of Police Stanford has received a request by telegraph to investigate a story told by L. P. Stout, a naval apprentice, who is being held on board the prison ship at Manila as the result of having confessed committing a murder in Pittsburgh. The Pittsburgh police are unable to verify his story.

Where Bullets Flew.

David Parker of Fayette, N. Y., a veteran of the Civil war who lost a foot at Gettysburg, says: "The good Electric Bitters have done is worth more than five hundred dollars to me. I spent much money doctoring for a bad case of stomach trouble, to little purpose. I then tried Electric bitters, and they cured me. I now take them as a tonic, and they kept me strong and well." 50c at W. F. Peters drug store.

Arrest of Alleged Murderer.

Columbia, Ky., Dec. 14.—The excitement in the eastern end of this (Adair) county over the murder of Miss Mamie Womack culminated with the arrest of James Hill, a white man, near the little town of Sano. He was taken before County Judge Dunbar, who held him without bail. The motive of the murder was criminal assault. Miss Womack being dragged into a wood near a lonely road and her skull crushed after her assailant had accomplished his purpose.

President Urges Libel Action.

In his message concerning the purchase of the Panama canal property by the United States, the president denounces in strong language charges that there was anything wrong in the acquisition by the United States of the canal property.

"Now, these stories, as a matter of fact," proceeded the message, "need no investigation whatever. No shadow of proof has been or can be produced in behalf of any of them. They consist simply of a string of infamous libels. In form they are in part libels upon individuals, upon Mr. Taft and Mr. Robinson, for instance. But they are in fact wholly and in form partly, a libel upon the United States government. I do not believe we should concern ourselves with the particular individuals who wrote the lying and libelous editorials, articles from correspondents or articles in the news columns.

"The real offender is Mr. Joseph Pulitzer, editor and proprietor of the World.

"While the criminal offense of which Mr. Pulitzer has been guilty is in form a libel upon individuals, the great injury done is in blackening the good name of the American people. It should not be left to a private citizen to sue Mr. Pulitzer for libel. He

RAINEY WILL PUSH INQUIRY

President's Message Doesn't Clear Things Up He Says.

INTENDS TO PURSUE SEARCH

While the President's Special Message on the Panama Canal Purchase Establishes the Validity of the Transfer, Representative Rainey, Author of the House "Show Me" Resolution, Declares He Must Have More Information as to Whether Uncle Sam Has Been Made the Victim of Wall Street Jobbers.

Washington, Dec. 16.—While admitting that the president's message on the canal purchase disposes of some features of the case, Representative Rainey of Illinois, author of the resolution calling upon the house to investigate the purchase, expressed his intention to pursue his search for information further.

"The message of the president," said Mr. Rainey, after he had listened to its reading, "establishes beyond question the validity of the transfer, but it does not clear up the question as to whether the government has been the victim of Wall street jobbing operations." He added that he would continue his efforts to obtain information on the subject, and said that the matter would come up in some form after the holidays.

Solons Not Daunted.

That the select committee of the house appointed to recommend action by the house in regard to the remarks of the president in his annual message on the attitude of congress toward the secret service, is changing its attitude toward the president was denied by several members of the committee. One member stated that the committee had not relented and that it intended to do its duty to the house and to the public." He said that the recent utterances supposed to emanate from the White House charging congress with lack of courage had tended to make the committee more determined than ever.

Chairman Perkins stated that another meeting would be held today and said he believed the committee would be able to report before adjournment on Saturday for the holidays.

CONGRESS LAUGHS

President's Special Message Was Not Taken Seriously by Solons.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The reading of the president's Panama canal message was received with loud laughter by some of the senators. Levity was also displayed in the house.

Senator Foraker endeavored to have the senate adopt a resolution calling on the secretary of war for detailed information concerning the men employed, instructions given and expenses incurred in the investigation by detectives into the Brownsburg affair, referred to by the president in his message of Monday. Senator Warren objected to the immediate consideration of the resolution.

The postal savings bank bill was the subject of speeches by Senators Carter and Depew, both of whom advocated the measure. The bill was made the unfinished business of the senate, displacing the joint resolution for the repeal of the commodity clause of the interstate commerce law. On motion of Senator Fulton the omnibus claims bill will be taken up by the senate on Jan. 6 for consideration.

After passing some bills relating to the District of Columbia, the remainder of the day in the house was taken up with the bill to revise the penal laws of the United States, which was considered at length during the last session.

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should be prosecuted for libel by the governmental authorities."

Accompanying the president's message was a large bundle of documents bearing upon the transfer of the canal property to the United States. Many of these documents were in French, without English translation. There was nothing which showed directly the persons who received the \$40,000 paid by the United States, but there was included a list of about 7,000 stockholders in the old and new Panama canal companies, all of them citizens of France and of the Colombian republic. There was not the name of a citizen of the United States in the entire list.

THE WORLD COMES BACK

Pulitzer Hands Out a Few Hot Ones to the President.

New York, Dec. 16.—The World, in the course of its answer to President Roosevelt's references to that paper in his special message to congress, says:

"Mr. Roosevelt is mistaken. He cannot muzzle the World.

"While no amount of billingsgate on his part can alter our determination to treat him with judicial impartiality and scrupulous fairness, we repeat what we have already said, that the congress of the United States should make a thorough investigation of the whole Panama transaction, that the full truth may be known to the American people. *** This is the first time a president ever asserted the doctrine of less majesty, or proposed, in the absence of specific legislation, the criminal prosecution by the government of citizens who criticised the conduct of the government or the conduct of individuals who may have had business dealings with the government. Neither the king of Great Britain nor the German emperor would venture to arrogate such power to himself. John Adams's attempt to enforce the sedition law destroyed the Federalist party in America. Yet Mr. Roosevelt in the absence of law officially proposes to use all the power of the greatest government on earth to cripple the freedom of the press on the pretext that the government itself has been libeled—and he is the government.

"If the World has libeled anybody we hope it will be punished, but we do not intend to be intimidated by Mr. Roosevelt's threats or by Mr. Roosevelt's denunciation or by Mr. Roosevelt's power.

"No other living man ever so grossly libeled the United States as does this president, who despises congress, bulldozes judges, assails the integrity of courts, slanders private citizens and who has shown himself the most reckless, unscrupulous demagogue whom the American people ever trusted with great power and authority. *** So far as the World is concerned its proprietor may go to jail if Mr. Roosevelt succeeds, as he threatens; but even in jail the World will not cease to be a fearless champion of free speech, a free press and a free people."

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 16.—The reward offered by the Great Northern railway officials and the government for the arrest and conviction of the train robbers who held up and robbed a train near Hillyard, Wash., last Wednesday night, has been raised to \$18,000.

OTEN THE KIDNEYS ARE WEAKENED BY OVER-WORK.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle Home of Swamp-Root, by mail free, also a pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y. on every bottle.

Livestock at New York.

Cattle—\$3.00@6.70. Hogs—\$5.00@6.70. Sheep—\$2.25@5.60. Lambs—\$3.00@6.40.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.07. Corn—No. 2, 6½c. Oats—No. 2, 59½c. Hay—Clover, \$10.00@11.00; timothy, \$12.50@13.50; mixed, \$11.00@12.00. Cattle—\$3.50@7.00. Hogs—\$4.00@6.00. Sheep—\$2.50@4.00. Lambs—\$3.00@4.00.

At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.03½. Corn—No. 3, 58½c. Oats—No. 3, 51

Dehler's Stores

A TAN Shoe Sale Next Eight Days

We will offer Winter Tans at a marvelous low reduction. AFTER SATURDAY, DEC. 19, prices will go back to regular; therefore be sure and take advantage of this great money saving opportunity, while it lasts.

Following quotations will show what you can save by purchasing NOW.

Ladies' Winter Tans.

4.00 Suedes, Russia and Wine Napoleon, Button and Lace, sale price.....	\$3.39
3.50 American Girl "Napoleon" Booties, Button and Lace, sale price	\$2.79
3.00 Russia Tan and Chocolate Vici Button and Lace, sale price.....	\$2.39
3.00 Russia Tan Lace (special lot), sale price.....	\$2.19
2.25 and 2.50 Chocolate Vici Button and Lace, sale price.....	\$1.79

Men's Winter Tan.

5.00 Russia Tan Button, sale price.....	\$3.98
4.00 Ox Blood Button, sale price	\$3.39
4.00 Chocolate Vici Bal. (special lot) sale price.....	\$2.79

All Goods Will Be

Strictly CASH at these prices. If you are wanting a pair of Winter Tans now is your opportunity of getting a pair and saving enough on this one purchase to buy somebody a Christmas gift.

THE TIME to make your purchase is now. THE PLACE, Dehler's Stores, 12 and 14 S. Chestnut Street.

N. B.—Notice Display Windows. See our line of Holiday Slippers.

A Square Deal

Scarf Pins Plain and all staple designs	Cut Glass	Belt Pins No better selection in Southern Indiana	Cuff Buttons Each one prettier than the one next to it
Diamond Rings \$10 to \$200	Necklaces Gold Gold Filled Cut Stones	Fountain Pens Plain and Gold Barred	Fobs of all kinds
Locket A great selec- tion \$1.50 to \$10.00	Chafing Dishes that are beauties	Vest Chains Gold Gold filled	Bracelets the best ever
Beauty Pins In endless variety	Novelties in Sterling Silver	Roger 1847 Silver ware	Neck Chains Plain and fancy Festoons
Hat Pins Every style that is made	Thimbles Silver, Gold Gold filled	Watches and Clocks	Souvenir Spoons Engraved free

STRATTON The Jeweler

16 S. Chestnut Street, Seymour, Ind.

DR. H. I. SHERWOOD Chronic Specialist

Here are a few of the many cases whom he has cured in Seymour. Samuel Franklin, Fletcher Nicholson and Leroy Sage had bad piles. Frank Stratton and Jason Lacy were badly ruptured.

Seymour, Ind., Dec. 8, 1908.

In February of this year I commenced with severe hemorrhage from bladder. Leading physicians and surgeons pronounced it cancer of the bladder. I got no better under their treatment. In October I commenced treatment with Dr. Sherwood. In six weeks I gained 12 pounds and am well of my trouble.

PHI. RHAMER.
Dr. Sherwood cures Blood Poison, Nervous Disease, Stomach Troubles, Catarrh, Goitre, and all forms of Chronic Disease including Female Complaints. Consultation and examination free.

Office: 10½ North Chestnut Street, SEYMOUR, INDIANA.

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DAILY

One Year.....	\$5.00
Six Months.....	2.50
Three Months.....	1.25
One Month.....	.45
One Week.....	.10

WEEKLY

One Year in Advance.....	\$1.00
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, '08.

THE democratic legislators and candidates are holding a conference in Indianapolis for the purpose of getting together on a legislative program. But as long as there are a half dozen candidates for senator and several candidates for speaker, as well as a score of candidates for every job to be handed out by the legislature and the governor-elect there will be little chance to adopt a harmony program.

IN a special message to congress President Roosevelt goes after the New York World and other newspapers that published some false and sensational stories about the Panama canal purchase. The President denounces Joseph Pulitzer owner of the New York World, in plain and vigorous language and incidentally he refers to the Indianapolis News because it took up the same story and published it as the truth.

JUST now Columbus seems to be somewhat elated because "Bob" Younger, a member of the Younger family who were known as outlaws in the west a few years ago, has taken up his abode in that city. But Columbus always gets a little chesty when some noted person drops into town. Younger served thirteen years in prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, but was paroled in 1902. He has reformed and now lives as a law abiding citizen.

Fruits, candies and nuts for Christmas at Hopewell & Brandt's. d16d

Mailing Advice.

In order to facilitate the business of the postoffice during the Christmas rush, which is already beginning, postmasters are issuing statements like the following:

"Many letters and packages have not been carried to their destination recently because there has been carelessness in addressing the mail. In some cases the name has been misspelled; in others the city or state has been omitted. It will be to the advantage of all to be careful in addressing their mail during the next few days. It is always advisable to place the name of the sender in the top left-hand corner of the envelope or package. This makes it possible to return mail in case the destination is not reached."

Rochester nickel plated ware at Cordes Hardware Co. d24d&w

Better Power.

After a delay of several months on account of waiting for parts from the factory, the Franklin sub-station of the I. C. & S. T. Co. was started Tuesday. The big motor started off without the least bit of trouble and on its first run behaved nicely. The Greenwood station will be moved to Southport. With the new station running at Franklin it is expected that the long complaint of a lack of power has been overcome. The question of power has given the management of this road some trouble but with the new power house the difficulty has doubtless been overcome.

Call at Mrs. E. M. Young's for a good shampoo. d15d&w-tf

Notice of Shareholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the First National Bank, of Seymour, Indiana, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its Banking House in Seymour, Indiana, on Tuesday, January 11, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. J. H. ANDREWS, j10d Cashier.

Holly wrapping paper at T. R. Carter's

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Bobb, who resides near Langdon, entertained Mrs. Wm. Buse, Mrs. George Stahl, Mrs. John Schulte, Mrs. Henry Hoevenier, Louise and Emma Kilgas, August Cordes and August Cordes Jr.

Choice perfumes at Pelle's drug store. d19d&w

The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Baldwin of the Reddington neighborhood, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, has been slightly improved during the past few days.

Blackboards at the Bee Hive.

Xmas Post Cards at T. R. Carter's.

Useful X-mas Gifts

Wide Choice of Sensible X-mas Gifts

Sensible gifts will hold first place with Santa Claus. Clothing for young and old. Articles of Dress of many kinds may be bought here, and they're not only acceptable but extremely useful.

Men's and Boys' Suits.....	5.00, 8.00, 10.00 up to 25.00
Cravatette Rain Coats.....	10.00 to 20.00
Dress Shirts.....	39c up to 1.50
Kid Gloves.....	50c up to 4.00
Suspenders in Fancy Boxes.....	50c and 75c
Ties in new colors.....	25c and 50c
Men's Hats, Soft and Stiff.....	1.00 to 3.00
Fleece Lined Dress Gloves.....	50c to 1.50
Children's Suits.....	1.25 up to 5.00
Tie Pins.....	25c and 50c
Caps for Men, Boys, Children	25c, 50c, 1.00
Umbrellas.....	1.00 to 5.00

Overcoats at special low prices



Adolph Steinwedel

Clothing Co.

CLOTHIERS, HATTERS AND HABERDASHERS

Remember

That the Tailor Shop of H. E. Weithoff 113 N. Chestnut St. has been removed to the corner of Chestnut St. and St. Louis Ave., the same room occupied by

THE NEW MUSIC STORE. Known as HARMONY HALL. I wish to have it known to my old customers that I am still as interested in them and the same line of tailoring, cleaning and pressing as when in the old location. Also that I am in no way connected with the business nor the parties occupying the old stand. All your work brought to this new place will receive the very best attention and the old prices prevail:

Trousers pressed..... \$1.15
Suits pressed..... .50
Overcoats pressed..... .50
Trousers cleaned and pressed.... .25

All kinds of dyeing, alterations and remodeling the same as ever. Work and prices the same the only change is in the location. Let us have all your work.

Yours truly,
H. E. WEITHOFF.
eod to d19.

Doing Business.

The proprietors of the New Commercial Hotel are now located in their newly remodeled and newly furnished building. On Sunday they entertained several friends and relatives and on Monday they began serving meals to the public. The hotel is already doing a good business and the indications are that they will soon have all the guests they can accommodate.

Installing New Machinery.

G. H. Anderson has begun the work preparatory to the installation of new and improved machinery for grinding all kinds of feed and for the manufacture of high grade corn meal. He will have the necessary machinery installed and in operation as soon as possible.

Cooking Ware Free.

Go to Hunters and look at the fine cooking ware given free with every \$1.00 and \$2.00 cash purchase.

d4-tf

Call at Mrs. E. M. Young's for scalp treatment. d15d&w-tf

Mooney Self filler fountain pens at T. R. Carter's.

Texas Ranger.

The attraction at the Opera House Saturday night Dec. 19th will be the latest western play success "A Texas Ranger." The show possesses literary qualities, rare in plays of today, that are satisfactory from an acting standpoint. The story is told in picturesque prose illuminated by a glowing imagination. The cast is headed by Mr. Pierre Akey who for the past three seasons played the leading part in "Arizona."

Notice.

Odd Fellows will meet at their hall Thursday night at 8 o'clock to arrange for the funeral of Brother Fred Voss. d17d

A. M. E. Church.

Extra service at prayer meeting at A. M. E. Church tonight. Everybody invited both white and colored people.

Baggage Transferred.

I can relieve you of heavy suit cases and parcels at the depots. Phone 468. d19d ANDREW FOSTER.

Picture Framing T. R. Carter's.

The Gold Mine Department Store

Open Evenings until 9:30.

A good Christmas store from front to rear, from top floor to basement, in every department the one idea exists, Christmas. No half-hearted attempt, no slighting, everything is enthusiasm, everyone is enthusiastic.

The finest, freshest and largest stocks all arranged for easy selection.

Buy now before the greater rush, Silks, Dress Goods, Furs, Cloaks, Cut Glass, China, Toys and Games, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Aprons, Hosiery, Umbrellas, Jewelry and Art Novelties.

HOLIDAY NECKWEAR

We are showing an unusually strong line of Fine Neckwear. Exquisite patterns, rich colorings and exclusive designs in four-in-hands, tecks, puffs, tuxedos and strings. Boys' windors, tecks and four-in-hands.

25 cents to \$1.00.

THE HUB

The Christmas Store

For Sale

\$2000.00 this beautiful home, 8 rooms, 4 closets, hall, gas in every room, summer kitchen, cellar, well cistern, lot 50x120, fruit and sheds and henry.

\$1500.00 this residence, lot 57x157 good location, 4 rooms and summer kitchen, sheds, McCann well, good corner lot.

\$2750.00 for this elegant residence, lot 50x150, bath room, concrete walks, furnace, cellar, sewer, barn, 6 rooms.

\$1200.00 for this fine new home, fine shade, concrete walks, well, 5 rooms, front and rear porch.

Also cheaper and higher priced city property.

GEO. SCHAEFER,
Real Estate and
General Insurance
First National Bank Bldg. Seymour.



A Woman of Beauty and Elegance is the one who doesn't allow defective teeth to mar her beauty or her appearance of refinement. A woman who would be attractive and posses a charm of elegance has her teeth regularly attended by a first class dentist, who can remedy all defects by crown or bridge work, and everything pertaining to scientific surgical dentistry at

Dr. B. S. Shinnness.

"Will Go on Your Bond"
Will write any kind of
INSURANCE
Clark B. Davis
LOANS NOTARY

Hadley Poultry Co.

Mrs. M. F. Bottorff, of Hamilton township, marketed 31 white holland turkeys in Seymour today and because of their fine quality and color received a premium of a half cent a pound.

Patriotism

The stomach is a larger factor in "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" than most people are aware. Patriotism can withstand hunger but not dyspepsia. The confirmed dyspeptic "is fit for treason, stratagems and spoils." The man who goes to the front for his country with a weak stomach will be a weak soldier and a fault finder.

A sound stomach makes for good citizenship as well as for health and happiness.

Diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition are promptly and permanently cured by the use of

Dr. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY.
It builds up the body with sound flesh and solid muscle.

The dealer who offers a substitute for the "Discovery" is only seeking to make the little more profit realized on the sale of less meritorious preparations.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the paper covered book, or 31 stamps for the cloth bound. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y.



PERSONAL.

G. H. Anderson went to New Albany on business today.

Frank Thompson, of Scipio, was here Monday evening.

Attorney McMullen came over from Aurora this morning.

George Schrier made a business trip west this morning.

J. M. Robertson was here from Brownstown Monday evening.

H. C. Dannett made a business trip to Scottsburg this morning.

Mrs. E. M. Ross has returned from a visit with relatives in Kentucky.

J. G. L. Lutes, of Houston, was in the city this morning on business.

L. D. Hooker, of Hamilton township transacted business in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed Vale, of Cincinnati, was in the city a short time this morning.

A. A. Conner, deputy auditor, was here from Brownstown last evening.

Fred Weihe, of Peters' Switch, was transacting business here this morning.

Charles Foist, of Redding township, was here a few hours this morning.

James Wiley, of Jennings county, was in the city a few hours this morning.

Miss Pauline Schneider was a passenger to Brownstown this morning.

C. F. Cain, the special pension examiner, made a business trip to Mitchell today.

Miss Grace Love, is visiting her brother, C. C. Love, and family — Bedford Mail.

Miss Ella Weinland arrived today from Burney to visit her sister, Mrs. Jay C. Smith.

Prof. J. W. Browning and Columbus Robertson came in from Cortland this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Foster and children, of Vernon township, were in the city Tuesday.

Misses Emma Ross and Anna Abel are home from Oxford to spend their holiday vacation.

John Q. Foster was in town today. He will attend the farmers institute at Kurtz Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Garry and son of Springfield, Mo., is here visiting relatives and friends.

M. F. Everback has returned from New Albany and Jeffersonville where he spent a few days.

W. S. Bell, of Freetown, was in town today and made the REPUBLICAN a pleasant business call.

R. R. Short, of Redding township, who has been in poor health for some time, was here this afternoon.

Mrs. Harry E. Williams, of Columbus, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hoadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clendenen have gone to Cincinnati to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Wiley Jones and Ed Jones and wife, of Columbus, were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of E. D. Brown.

Fred Klippen and wife, of Indianapolis, were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late Elias D. Brown.

W. H. Bower, of Kurtz, farmer, breeder of fine stock and lumber merchant, transacted business in town today.

Tom Hays made a business trip to Crothersville and Scottsburg today for the Claypool & Frey Dry-Goods Co.

J. B. Freeman left Tuesday for Eldorado, Okla., to spend the winter with his son and daughter, who reside in that locality.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to Seymour this morning—Columbus Republican.

Everett Holmes and wife went to Vincennes today for a few days' visit with Mr. Holmes' sister, Mrs. R. L. Miller and family.

C. H. Wiethoff, who travels out of Columbus for a wholesale grocery firm, was here yesterday calling on his trade and greeting friends.

Rev. Z. T. Sweeney was here yesterday on his way home from Cincinnati where he addressed 2,000 Sunday School teachers Monday night.

Mrs. Jerome Boyles has gone to Princeton to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Guthridge. She was accompanied by Mr. Boyles' mother from Tunnelton.

George Stewart who was called to Crothersville to attend the funeral of his uncle, Nathan Llewellyn, stopped off here to visit Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Baird on his return to Indianapolis.

Miss Justine Freeman came down from Greenwood Monday evening and is spending a few days here with her mother, Mrs. Zelma Leas, before they leave on their month's visit with relatives at Eldorado, Okla.

Mrs. Zelma Leas and little daughter, Justine will leave for Eldorado, Okla. next Monday to spend a month with her brother and sister. Miss Justine is a pupil in the public schools at Greenwood and will attend school in Oklahoma while they are there to keep up her work.

AMERICA GOOD ENOUGH

Frederick MacMonnies Will Return to Land of Birth.

New York, Dec. 16.—Frederick William MacMonnies, the famous sculptor, one of America's most prominent artists, sailed for France today to pack up his household goods at his former home in Normandy. When this is done he will return to America and make his permanent home in his native country.

Mr. MacMonnies was born in Brooklyn forty-three years ago, but most of his life he has spent in France.

"I'm coming back to America to live," he said. "I have lived abroad

too long.

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Miss Ella Weinland arrived today from Burney to visit her sister, Mrs. Jay C. Smith.

Prof. J. W. Browning and Columbus Robertson came in from Cortland this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Foster and children, of Vernon township, were in the city Tuesday.

Misses Emma Ross and Anna Abel are home from Oxford to spend their holiday vacation.

John Q. Foster was in town today. He will attend the farmers institute at Kurtz Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Garry and son of Springfield, Mo., is here visiting relatives and friends.

M. F. Everback has returned from New Albany and Jeffersonville where he spent a few days.

W. S. Bell, of Freetown, was in town today and made the REPUBLICAN a pleasant business call.

R. R. Short, of Redding township, who has been in poor health for some time, was here this afternoon.

Mrs. Harry E. Williams, of Columbus, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hoadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clendenen have gone to Cincinnati to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Wiley Jones and Ed Jones and wife, of Columbus, were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of E. D. Brown.

Fred Klippen and wife, of Indianapolis, were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late Elias D. Brown.

W. H. Bower, of Kurtz, farmer, breeder of fine stock and lumber merchant, transacted business in town today.

Tom Hays made a business trip to Crothersville and Scottsburg today for the Claypool & Frey Dry-Goods Co.

J. B. Freeman left Tuesday for Eldorado, Okla., to spend the winter with his son and daughter, who reside in that locality.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to Seymour this morning—Columbus Republican.

Everett Holmes and wife went to Vincennes today for a few days' visit with Mr. Holmes' sister, Mrs. R. L. Miller and family.

C. H. Wiethoff, who travels out of Columbus for a wholesale grocery firm, was here yesterday calling on his trade and greeting friends.

Rev. Z. T. Sweeney was here yesterday on his way home from Cincinnati where he addressed 2,000 Sunday School teachers Monday night.

Mrs. Jerome Boyles has gone to Princeton to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Guthridge. She was accompanied by Mr. Boyles' mother from Tunnelton.

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KING'S HEART HARDENED.

Organ of Rameses II. Examined
After Lapse of 3,000 Years.

Two or three years ago the administration of the National Museums of France acquired for the Louvre four canopus vases, that is, vases with an emblematic head on the cover. These vases contained the viscera of King Rameses II, the Sesostris of Greek writers. These vases, which are superb specimens, permitted of no doubt concerning the authenticity of their contents, for the admirably drawn cartouches on their sides bore the names and attributes of the great king.

The conservator of the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities, desirous of seeing what was the condition of these precious remains, handed them for examination to Prof. Loriet of Lyons, who at once commenced his investigations, assisted by his colleagues, Profs. Huguenin and Renaut.

Three of the vases were filled with bands of cloth very tightly rolled and stuck together with natron (natural carbonate of soda, produced by the spontaneous evaporation of certain lakes) and aromatic resinous substances of a reddish color. They had probably contained the stomach, intestines and liver of Rameses. Nothing remained of these organs except a granulated substance mixed with a great quantity of powdered natron.

The other vase, which had a jackal's head as a lid, contained an extremely interesting object—the heart of the monarch. This heart was transformed into an oval plaque about 8 centimeters long and 4 centimeters wide. It had become very hard and it was necessary to use a saw to cut it. With a razor it was possible to obtain pieces sufficiently thin to admit of microscopic examination.

When the vase was opened it was supposed that it would contain the heart. The microscope removed all doubt on this subject. The muscular fibers were perfectly recognizable and were intertwined in bundles as are only the fibers of the heart and those of the tongue. It could not be the tongue of Rameses II, because the mummy of that king, which is preserved in the museum at Cairo, shows that the tongue is in its place. Therefore, M. Loriet, in drawing up a report on his work, could affirm without any possible doubt that the object placed in the famous vase surmounted by a jackal's head was the heart of Rameses II, who died 1,525 years before the Christian era, that is to say, 3,433 years ago.

It is certain that the contemporaries of the great king never suspected that the heart of Rameses would one day be inspected in a museum, and sown up into small pieces to satisfy the curiosity of anthropologists.

NEWTON'S SCALE OF HEAT.

Great Philosopher Inventor of Thermometer Before Fahrenheit.

According to Sir Samuel Wilkes, Fahrenheit constructed his thermometer from one made many years before by Sir Isaac Newton.

"In the transactions of the Royal Society for 1701 will be found the paper written by Sir Isaac Newton, who was at that time secretary to the society," says Sir Samuel. "He invented an instrument for measuring the degrees of heat in fluids by taking a tube and filling it with linseed oil. On this he marked the freezing point as zero by putting the tube in ice, and in the same way he marked the point when placed in boiling water. The very awkward scale which we now use is evidently that of Newton, for the decimal system not being then in use, he took the number 12 to denote the heat of the body: this he found, and made it the starting point of his scale, both upward and downward."

"It was some time after this that, for the sake of convenience, the degrees were divided into two, and thus the body heat was 24 above zero and boiling point 53. When, many years afterward, Fahrenheit made his instrument and used mercury instead of linseed oil, which was far more convenient, he again divided these degrees into four, so if the number be multiplied accordingly we had 212 for the boiling point and 96 for body heat."

"Fahrenheit, finding he could get a lower temperature than freezing, made this point zero, which brought the number 8 of Newton's to 32 of Fahrenheit. In this way the thermometer was constructed."

LARGEST TIGER IN CAPTIVITY.

Elephants, Leopards and Other Wild Animals Brought from India.

"Timid persons would better not enter here." This would be a fitting sign to hang at the entrance of the companionway leading beneath the midship deck of the steamer Moltefels, which arrived Tuesday morning from Calcutta and Colombo and docked at pier 3, Mystic wharf. The reason is, says the Boston Transcript, that a short walk along this passageway, dark as the jungle at night, takes one into the midst of a veritable menagerie of wild beasts, including what probably is the largest tiger in captivity.

He was captured in eastern Bengal, measures thirteen feet in length and devoured from sixteen to eighteen pounds of meat every day of the voyage. To satisfy his hunger, along with that of other tigers, leopards and bears,

it was necessary to stock up with twelve cows before the steamer left Calcutta, one to be killed every few days and cut into huge chunks.

Emboldened by the fact that the animals were all supposed to be securely caged and that they had not already devoured Max Sloman, the attendant, or his black Hindoo assistant, Babba, several newspaper representatives plucked up courage to enter the menagerie inclosure to look over the group.

They pushed their way along boldly until his royal highness, the Bengal tiger, gave them greeting, whereupon there might have been precipitate retreat if it had not been almost as dangerous to go backward as ahead. One of the party then suggested that the eighteen-foot python—of which species there were twenty-five on board—might even then be crawling along the deck, whereupon cold shivers chased themselves up and down the spinal column of the visitors.

Some rare species of birds were included in the collection, which goes to William Bartel of New York, the animal importer. An Australian ostrich was among those rarely seen on this side of the Atlantic. Altogether there were, to start with, four elephants, three cages of tigers, five cages of leopards, one cage of bears, twenty-two cages of monkeys—many of the monkeys died en route—one cage of cassowaries, two cages of cranes, six packages of birds, one cage of fowls, three boxes of eggs, one case of pigeons, four cages of ducks, these all as food for the pythons. Aside from the death of the monkeys and an elephant, nothing unusual occurred in the ship's "jungle," such as the escape of a leopard or a tiger.

HE LOSES THE ODD TRICK.

Whist Player Holding Six Best Trumps Is Given Surprise.

To anyone familiar with whist the following hand is bound to look pretty good:

Hearts—Ace, king, queen, jack, ten and nine.

Diamonds—Ace, king and queen.

Spades—Ace and king.

Clubs—King and Jack.

Hearts are trumps.

It looks like a good thing for eleven tricks sure and possibly for twelve. Should any whist player of experience get such a hand, however, says a recent article in a whist journal he will be mighty apt to be as suspicious as the poker player who is dealt four kings. It is what is known as a "yard-borough" in whist circles and this is the denouement: The dealer holds the other seven hearts (trumps) and six small clubs to the ten. The dealer's partner holds the ace and queen of clubs and one small one. What his other ten cards are makes no difference.

The partner of the person holding the good hand holds the thirteen other cards and it makes no difference what they are. The "good" hand has the lead, and if any whist player wishes to verify the assertion he may try from now until doomsday and yet not be able to take more than six tricks with the hand. It is impossible by good, bad or indifferent play to take a single trick more, provided, of course, the dealer and his partner play their hands properly.

The Midget Snakes.

"I see by your paper," says a correspondent, "that you want to find a man who can tell a snake story with the sound of originality to it. Here it is: Nearly forty years ago in the woods of Indiana I captured three snakes, each less than three and one-fourth inches in length, a combined length of less than ten inches, a little longer and a little larger in the middle than an old-fashioned wool darning needle.

Although these snakes were so small they would crawl around with their heads up and dart their tongues like larger snakes, I put these reptiles in an eight ounce bottle, and they had plenty of room to crawl around on the bottom of it without crowding. These were not the kind of snakes generally seen in bottles, but genuine snakes. Among those who saw them was a minister of the gospel, and he had not been taking anything to make him see snakes, him, admiringly.

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"Poor child, she isn't up yet," replied Mrs. Wallack. "I expect she was tired out when she got home from Mary's last night."

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Wallack waved his hand to his wife as he left the house, but instead of going through the garden gate he walked along the aster bed till he found a flower that he liked to put in his buttonhole. Then he turned, and, putting one hand on the top of the fence, vaulted it.

For one sickening moment he feared that his feet were not going to swing clear; but they did, though it was but by a scant half inch.

"A little out of form," muttered Wallack. "I don't take enough exercise, that's the trouble with me. I must practice a little and get myself into shape. I'll bet a dollar that in side of a week I could clear that fence without putting a finger on it."

"It isn't everybody could get over it without climbing," he mentally added as he considered the matter. Then he threw his shoulders back and his chest out and went along the sidewalk at a brisk, swinging gait.

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SHAKESPEARE.

To understand was not our part;
We did not know—it only seemed
That in our little village gleamed
The lightnings of a noble heart.

His the more than human skill—
His the nameless art divine,
Of turning water into wine,
And doing well what we do ill.

This the man who broke our sleep,
Who tossed the hills aside, till we,
With wondering eyes could view the sea,
And viewing long, and longing weep.

We felt a hand that brushed the years
To right and left, and through the mist
We saw a pair of lips that kissed
The eyes of beauty back to tears.

His gift was like the roses' smell—
'Twas given of God, and to him goes
When he has gathered in the rose;
And this is all that we can tell.
—Touchstone.

Getting Old? Absurd!

"You and I aren't as young as we used to be," said Griffin, at the club. "I have to make a practice of eating a light lunch, I find. Yes, we're getting along in years."

Wallack laughed. "Speak for yourself, my boy," he said. "I'm as young as I ever was."

Then he proceeded to order a dyspepsia-bred repast and thought no more of the accusation until, looking across the table at his old friend, he noticed for the first time the wrinkles that seemed his face and the thin, gray wisps of hair brushed across the shining surface of his scalp. It came to him with something of a shock that Griffin really did look old.

"Prematurely, of course," thought Wallack. "He really isn't old—not much older than I am."

Wallack dismissed the thought.

Somehow it gave him a vaguely uncomfortable feeling.

It recurred to him as he was shaving the next morning. He caught himself looking for wrinkles—and he found them. But they were very slight after all—mere character marks.



"DON'T BE IMPATIENT WITH HIM."

Come to think of it, he always did have a few such lines there under his eyes.

"Pooh!" he laughed. A few minutes later he was splashing in his cold tub with robust enjoyment. Completing his toilet, he selected a bright red necktie and arranged it with perhaps a little more than usual care. Then he ran downstairs to his breakfast with a consciously light step.

His plump and comely wife was awaiting him at the breakfast table.

"How fresh and bright you look this morning, dear," she remarked him, admiringly.

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A very elegant bow it was! A very fascinating smile! A neighbor poked him in the ribs.

"Here, here, you sinner," said the neighbor; "this won't do at all. Don't you know you're a married man?"

Wallick twisted his mustache and there was a grateful glow in his bosom. "Well, what if I am?" he demanded. "I guess there's no harm in looking at a pretty girl—what?"

Still, it was strange how that foolish remark of Griffin's kept forcing itself on Wallick's mind through the morning. Such a stupid thing to say! Why had he, Wallick, been taken into the firm, for instance? Wallick remembered what old Johnson had said perfectly. "We want young blood in the concern, Mr. Wallick." These were his very words. "Young blood!" Of course that was some years ago, but not so many, by George!

As Wallack was returning from luncheon a florid, white-haired veteran of the street clapped him on the back. "Well, young man, how's tricks?" inquired this venerable person.

Wallick turned and shook hands with him cordially, though he was not fond of him. Then he went back to his work feeling much better. Once, however, he stopped to reflect that he was strong, vigorous, active, straight—except that so much desk work was giving him a tendency to stoop a trifle—that bodily and mentally he was never better and that a man was as old as he felt and no older. Then he really and truly forgot Griffin, forgot everything, in fact, but his work.

"Where's Susie?" asked Wallack, some time after dinner.

"She's in the parlor with Dick," replied Mr. Wallack.

"Dick again!" exclaimed Wallack testily. "Amy, that boy seems to be under the impression that he lives here. I like him pretty well, but—"

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One More Unfortunate.

The police justice looked at the battered, disreputable specimen of manhood before him and turned to the policeman.

"Officer," he asked, "what is the complaint?"

"Rheumatiz, y'r honor," spoke up the prisoner, answering for himself.—Chicago Tribune.

Chicago's Equator.

Teacher—Tommy, do you know what latitude is?

Tommy—Yes, ma'am. It's distance north and south of the Chicago river.—Chicago Tribune.

Amendatory.

Borus—Yes, I always rewrite my poems before I send them to publisher.

Naggus—You mean, I presume, before you send them to the next publisher.

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DOWN MISSOURI WAY.

Canada's Respect for Law and Order the Subject for Favorable Comment.

Those who have visited Canada are always impressed with the strict observance that is given to the laws of the country, and the order that is preserved everywhere. The editor of the *Gazette of Fulton*, Nev., recently paid a visit to western Canada. He was so impressed with the conditions that he saw everywhere that on his return home he was inspired to write as follows:

"Reverence and respect for law is a dominant characteristic of the Canadian people. Wherever one goes in Canada, whether east or west, the law is supreme. The law is obeyed because it is law, seemingly, and not because violation carries a penalty. Canada enforces the law and makes every law effective. No country is more free than Canada. In name Canada is a dependency of the British crown. In fact, it is almost a third republic. All its taxes are voted, collected and expended by the Dominion and the provinces. The nominal head of the government is the governor general, appointed by the English crown. Practically his only authority is to veto the acts of parliament, which he scarcely ever exercises. Canada gives nothing to the support of the English government or the English king. She gives England the advantage in trade regulations and tariff laws, and in return receives the protection of the British army and navy. Canada enjoys the protection without sharing in the expense.

The sale of liquor is strictly regulated. None but hotelkeepers may obtain license to vend the stuff, and before a license can be secured an applicant must prove good character and provide 20 rooms in his tavern for the accommodation of guests. The bar rooms close at 7 o'clock Saturday evening and remain closed until Monday morning. The schools and churches in western Canada excite admiration.

Though new, western Canada is not Godless. The finest buildings in every town are the churches. Next come the school houses."

Turning to the wheat fields of western Canada, the editor of the *Laurel* (Neb.) Advocate of Sept. 17, says: "I have often thought that the reason that the characters of Charles Dickens are so impressed upon the minds of his readers is because he dwells upon them so long and describes them so minutely that by the time one has waded through his long drawn out stories they are so burned into his brain that he can never forget them. It was this way with the Canadian wheat fields. Had we only seen a few the memory of them might have worn away in time, but a long drawn out experience such as we had is sure to leave an ineffaceable impression. Never while we live shall we forget the Canadian wheat fields. They call it the granary of the British Empire and we don't blame 'em. Nobody who has seen their wheat fields can wonder at their enthusiasm."

It is worth while to record that these fields have now been harvested, and in many cases yields as high as forty and fifty bushels per acre have been marketed, while the general average has been away above twenty bushels per acre. Oats and barley have also done well, and the profits, the prices of grains being high, have paid the entire cost of the farms of many a farmer. There is now 160 acres of land given away, in addition to the 160 acres that the homesteader may purchase at \$3.00 an acre. Particulars of this as well as the lowest railway rates will be given by the Canadian government agent.

New York a City of Tenants.

Fewer New Yorkers own their own homes than the residents of any other city in the world. The reason is simple one; the land is so valuable that none but the very wealthy can afford its purchase. Of the 391,687 families living on Manhattan Island only 16,316 hold title to the houses they occupy—and if you will bring that little pad and pencil into play again you will learn that 94 out of every 100 families make monthly payments to a landlord. When these families move, as they are constantly doing, it seems only necessary to take the family photographs from off the mantel—so completely has their method of life been systematized. As for the landlords, they are mightier in wealth and tenants than any feudal lords of old—as forsooth the Astors, whose immense multitude of dwellings house a greater number of people than are contained in a city of the size of Hartford, Conn., Seattle, Wash., or Nashville, Tenn.

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TRUMPET CALLS.

Ram's Horn Sounds a Warning Note to the Unredeemed.

There's one good thing to be said about a bantam rooster. He puts all there is of him into his crow.

Many a man is on the flat of his back to-day because he wasn't more in earnest yesterday.

There need never be any doubt about what God will do.

Real happiness is cheap enough, but the bogus kind comes high.

To look into the face of truth always kills a lie stone dead.

The greatest of all doing is the doing of what God wants done.

What children are being taught to-day will the nation will be to-morrow.

The man who loves sin is a sinner, no matter how much he pays the preacher.

It doesn't hurt God to spell His name with a little g, but it hurts the man who does it.

The true man is he who, having failed yesterday, will gird up his loins and go at it again to-day.

God has spoken to many men, but only here and there is there one who is able to tell just what He said.

Many a man hides his wife's coffin with roses who never gave her a five-dollar bill to do as she pleased with.

The man who will not hear the Lord say, "Go!" is not likely to hear Him say, "Come, ye blessed of my Father."

It is a bad day for the Christian when he stops saying, "The Lord is my Shepherd," and sets out to find a green pasture for himself.

HAVE GOOD MAP OF MARS.

Astronomers Know Considerable About Earth's Nearest Neighbor.

We can draw all the geographical configurations, seas, coasts, islands, peninsulas, mouths of rivers or canals of Mars with accuracy, and we can anticipate what district will appear in the lens of the telescope, for the length of the rotation of the planet is known to the hundredth part of a second. As the planet turns upon its axis more slowly than ours, the calendar of the inhabitants of Mars is composed of two consecutive years of 668 days and a bisextile one of 669 days.

It is not many years since Mars entered into the sphere of our observation. And one can also say that there is but a small number of the inhabitants of this world who have observed it in all its details, and of these the most experienced is Signor Schiaparelli, director of the observatory at Milan.

The geographical map of the planet Mars has just been made with infinite care by the above mentioned astronomer. One might really consider it a terrestrial sphere of continents, islands, coasts, peninsulas, gulfs, waters. Moreover, clouds, rains, inundations, snows, seasons, winters and summers, springs and autumns, prevail, as they do here, and the intensity of the seasons is absolutely the same as with us. The inclination of the axis being the same as ours.

Our problem of the habitability of the stars is limited to observing the celestial bodies upon which the conditions are such that organized matter can exist in a durable form.

In the planet Mars the density of a cubic meter of water, earth or any material is only the seventeenth of what it is here, and the weight is only .38. A kilogram transported to Mars would, therefore, only weigh 376 grains there and a man or woman weighing 70 kilos would only weigh 26 there. The years are nearly twice as long as on our own planet and the climatological conditions seem much more favorable than they are here.

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Ancient Example.

Cesar tore up the blank telegraph form on which he had started to write something.

Taking another sheet, he wrote the words, "Veni, vidi, vici," signed it, and handed it to the operator.

"I was about to make it, 'We have beaten 'em to a frazzle,'" he said, "but that would set everybody to asking what the deuce a frazzle is—and the other is shorter, anyway."

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WILL ASK LEGISLATURE FOR IT

In His Annual Address Before the Indiana State Farmers' Congress, President Strange Proposes a Plan Whereby the Community of Interest Among the Agriculturalists Shall Be So Amplified as to Lead to Close Association—Bills to This End Will Be Submitted to Coming Session of the Legislature.

Indianapolis, Dec. 16.—The Indiana farmers may ask the approaching Indiana legislature to originate the latest wrinkle in American country life.

Addressing the Farmers' State Congress of Indiana at its annual meeting, President Joshua Strange of Marion sounded the warning. In his official address he declared:

"There should be a school for agriculture and mechanical training in every county in the state. It should be connected with a county experimental farm. On it should be buildings suitable for agricultural and horticultural exhibits of the experimental work. It should also include a convention hall for institutes and like public gatherings. It should be equipped with an agricultural library, and in it should be established a farmers' bureau of information."

Amplifying this, Strange recited the blessings that would flow from the establishment of such institutions. Every house in most agricultural districts now has its telephone, and all of these, he pointed out, would be connected with the bureau. If a farmer had a carload of hogs for sale he could telephone in the information, and it would be posted up on the bureau blackboard. Likewise could other things be offered for sale and exchange and from the bureau, in close connection with the agricultural library, could be had at any time expert information on matters of common interest. Such a bureau, however, would be incidental to the greater purposes to be served—the special education of men and women who are to produce the foodstuffs of the country. President Strange's idea is that the legislature give to the counties the right to levy an assessment for the creation of such schools, experimental farms and farmers' centers. The matter was referred to a special committee which is to consider the matter and probably outline a bill.

This meeting of the Indiana farmers' congress, which was held in the agricultural rooms in the state house, was preliminary to a larger meeting to be held either the third or fourth Tuesday in January. The session was for the purpose of outlining legislation that it wanted. Committees were appointed to formulate bills. They are all to report at the January meeting.

TAFT TO ADDRESS OHIOANS

New York Buckeyes Will Entertain President-Elect Tonight.

New York, Dec. 16.—The men who hail from Mr. Taft's home state and are now residents of New York, together with a crowd of visiting Buckeyes, will turn out in great numbers tonight to attend the annual dinner of the Ohio Society of New York and hear the president-elect deliver an address. His topic will, it is believed, be of interest to the country at large.

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Taft Got 7,637,676 and Bryan 6,393,182—While Republicans, Democrats and Socialists Increased Their Vote This Year, the Prohibitionists, Populists and Socialist-Laborites Show a Falling Off, Particularly Noticeable Among the Populists—Details of the Ballot.

New York, Dec. 16.—The total popular vote of the various presidential candidates at the last national election has been made known in an official form by the filing of the last of the official votes, that of Michigan. The totals show the following vote cast:

Taft (Republican), 7,637,676; Bryan (Democrat), 6,393,182; Debs (Socialist), 448,453; Chaffin (Prohibition), 241,252; Hisgen (Independence), 83,186; Watson (Populist), 33,871; Gilhaus (Socialist Labor), 15,421. Total for all candidates, 14,852,239.

This grand total exceeds by 1,341,531 the total number of votes cast in the presidential election of 1904, when the grand total was 13,510,708.

Compared with that election, the candidates of the Republican, Democratic and Socialist parties increased their vote this year. The reverse is true of the candidates of the Prohibition, Populist and Socialist-Labor parties. The Independence party did not figure in the presidential election of four years ago. The biggest difference in a party vote is shown in an increase for Bryan of 1,315,211 over the total vote cast in 1904 for Alton B. Parker, the Democratic candidate. Taft received 14,190 votes more than were polled for President Roosevelt in 1904, and Debs ran 45,368 ahead of his predecessor on the Socialist ticket.

The heaviest loss is shown by the Populists, who with the same candidates registered 83,312 votes less this year than in 1904, when their total was 117,135. The Prohibitionist candidate, Chaffin, ran 17,284 votes behind the 1904 mark of his party, and Gilhaus, the Socialist-Labor candidate, received only about 50 per cent of the vote given to Corrigan, which was 31,249 in the previous presidential year.

New York (870,070), Pennsylvania (745,779), and Illinois (629,932) gave Taft the greatest number of votes among the states, while as to Bryan, the order was New York (667,468), Ohio (502,721), and Illinois (450,819).

The votes cast for Taft and Bryan were almost identical in number in two states, namely, Maryland and Nevada. In the first mentioned, Taft received 111,253 and Bryan 111,117 and in the other 10,214 and 10,655 respectively.

Debs received his largest vote in Pennsylvania, 39,913; Illinois, 39,711, and New York, 38,451. Delaware gave him only 75 votes.

Hisgen's vote in New York (35,817) and in his own state of Massachusetts (19,237), together formed nearly two-thirds of all the votes he received in the whole country. In six states not a vote was cast for him. Nine states registered not a single vote for the Prohibitionist candidate. The Socialist-Labor candidate received votes in only thirteen states, and in only nineteen states were votes cast for Watson, of the Populist party.

Dorando's Second Collapse.

New York, Dec. 16.—As on that memorable occasion of his first Olympiad, Dorando Pietri collapsed within sight of the goal last night, in the twenty-sixth mile, and Tom Longboat, the Indian runner, who had been led by a yard or more nearly all the way, won the Marathon race at Madison Square Garden.

TERTELEGRAMS

Medina county, Ohio, voted dry by 1,188 majority.

Congress will adjourn for the Christmas holidays from Dec. 19 to Jan. 4.

The Papke-Kelly fight at Los Angeles went the full twenty-five rounds to a draw.

One of the big New Orleans race-tracks is preparing to make a test of the so-called Locke anti-racing bill.

Boston voted for license by about 10,000 votes, a reduction of about one-half from the majority of last year.

Sixteen deaths may fairly be charged to this year's big game hunting season in Maine, which has just closed.

The report of the bureau of records of the Chicago police department shows that 156 persons were murdered in that city in the year 1908.

Hiram L. Badger of Wakefield, Mass., who murdered his two young daughters on Dec. 8, has been committed to the state asylum for the criminal insane.

The Russian government has sent its final reply, complying with the Austrian proposal regarding the convocation of an international congress on the Balkan question.



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